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In the claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Original) A lithium electrochemical cell, comprising:

an electrolyte comprising:

a mixture of solvents comprising:

propylene carbonate; dimethoxyethane; and

a salt mixture comprising:

lithium trifluoromethanesulfonate; and lithium trifluoromethanesulfonimide,

wherein the cell contains less than 1500 ppm by weight of sodium.

- 2. (Original) The cell of claim 1, wherein the cell contains less than 1200 ppm by weight of sodium.
- 3. (Original) The cell of claim 1, wherein the cell contains less than 1000 ppm by weight of sodium.
- 4. (Original) The cell of claim 1, wherein the cell contains less than 800 ppm by weight of sodium.
- 5. (Original) The cell of claim 1, wherein the cell contains less than 600 ppm by weight of sodium.
- 6. (Original) The cell of claim 1, wherein the mixture of solvents comprises: 40-80% by weight of dimethoxyethane; and 20-60% by weight of propylene carbonate; and the salt mixture has a concentration between 0.4 M and 1.2 M in the mixture of solvents.
 - 7. (Original) The cell of claim 6, wherein the mixture of solvents comprises: 50-75% by weight of dimethoxyethane; and 25-50% by weight of propylene carbonate.
 - 8. (Currently Amended) A lithium electrochemical <u>The</u> cell of claim 1, comprising: an wherein the electrolyte <u>further comprises</u> comprising:

a mixture of solvents comprising:
ethylene carbonate;
propylene carbonate; and
dimethoxyethane; and
a salt mixture comprising:
lithium trifluoromethanesulfonate; and



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lithium trifluoromethanesulfonimide, wherein the cell contains less than 1500 ppm by weight of sodium.

9. (Original) The cell of claim 8, wherein the cell contains less than 1200 ppm by weight of sodium.

- 10. (Original) The cell of claim 8, wherein the cell contains less than 1000 ppm by weight of sodium.
- 11. (Original) The cell of claim 8, wherein the cell contains less than 800 ppm by weight of sodium.
- 12. (Original) The cell of claim 8, wherein the cell contains less than 600 ppm by weight of sodium.
- 13. (Original) The cell of claim 8, wherein the mixture of solvents comprises: less than 30% by weight of ethylene carbonate; 40-85% by weight of dimethoxyethane; and the salt mixture has a concentration between 0.4 M and 1.2 M in the mixture of solvents.
 - 14. (Original) The cell of claim 13, wherein the mixture of solvents comprises: 10-20% by weight of ethylene carbonate; 50-70% by weight of dimethoxyethane.
- 15. (Original) The cell of claim 14, comprising less than 500 ppm by weight of sodium.
 - 16. (Original) The cell of claim 13, wherein the mixture of solvents comprises:
 5-15% by weight of ethylene carbonate;
 70-80% by weight of dimethoxyethane; and
 10-20% by weight of propylene carbonate.
- 17. (Original) The cell of claim 16, comprising less than 500 ppm by weight of sodium.

